

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 1793
Examiner : Caitlin Anne Fogarty
Serial No. : 10/583,220
Filed : June 16, 2006
Inventors : Atsushi Miyazaki
: Yasushi Kato
: Osamu Furukimi
Title : FERRITIC Cr-CONTAINED
: STEEL

Customer No. 035811

Docket No.: JFE-06-1129

Confirmation No.: 7655

Dated: December 21, 2009

CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim a two (2) month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a) extending the time for Response to the outstanding Official Action dated July 22, 2009 from October 22, 2009 to December 22, 2009.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the **\$490.00** fee to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any fees or insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.

Respectfully submitted,



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